



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

CONFIRMATION NO. 2527

In re the application of:)
Kiyoshi Kato, et al.)
U.S. Serial No.: 10/631,961) Group Art Unit: 2883
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For: OPTICAL MODULE

AMENDMENT UNDER 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A reply to the Office Action dated March 14, 2005 was due by June 14, 2005. A Petition for Extension of Time (two months, large entity) is enclosed, extending the date to August 15, 2005 (August 14, 2005 being a Sunday). Therefore, please accept this Amendment as timely filed.

In response to the Office Action of March 14, 2005, kindly amend the above-identified patent application as follows.